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Crop Progress & Condition

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Maryland, there were 3.5 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday; April 26th, 2020. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 0 percent short, 38 percent adequate, and 62 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 1 percent short, 50 percent adequate, and 49 percent surplus.

In Delaware, there were 3.0 days suitable for fieldwork. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 0 percent short, 53 percent adequate, and 47 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 0 percent short, 51 percent adequate, and 49 percent surplus.

MD Soil Moisture for Week Ending April 26, 2020

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus	
TOPSOIL	0	0	38	62	
SUBSOIL	0	1	50	49	

MD Crop Progress as of April 26, 2020

(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.	
CORN: PLANTED	8	6	18	<5	
PEACHES: FULL BLOOM	59	39	74	55	
WINTER WHEAT: HEADED	6	4	1	<5	

DE Soil Moisture for Week Ending April 26, 2020

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus	
TOPSOIL	0	0	53	47	
SUBSOIL	0	0	51	49	

DE Crop Conditions as of April 26, 2020

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent	
BARLEY	2	5	30	51	12	
PASTURE & RANGE	2	5	26	39	28	
WINTER WHEAT	2	7	33	50	8	

DE Crop Progress as of April 26, 2020

(in percent)

Item	This Week			5 Year Avg.	
APPLES: FULL BLOOM	41	<5	49	36	
BARLEY: HEADED	57	<5	57	N/A	
PEACHES: FULL BLOOM	49	<5	66	65	
TOMATOES: PLANTED	13	N/A	N/A	N/A	
WATERMELONS: PLANTED	15	N/A	N/A	N/A	
WINTER WHEAT: HEADED	21	5	15	N/A	

April 26, 2020 Maryland and Delaware Weekly Weather Summary

		Air Temperature Last Week				Precipitation					
State	Station	Max	Min	Avg	Norm	DFN	One Week	Rain Days	DFN	Four Weeks	Four Weeks DFN
Delaware	NORTHERN										
	Wilmington New Castle Co Ap	59.0	41.7	50.36	55.76	-5.4	1.43	4.0	0.65	4.01	0.69
	Extreme/Average	59.0	41.7	50.36	55.76	-5.40	1.43	4	0.65	4.01	0.69
	SOUTHERN										
	Georgetown-Delaware Coastal Airport	62.1	43.6	52.86	56.21	-3.36	1.42	6.0	0.64	3.2	-0.36
	Extreme/Average	62.1	43.6	52.86	56.21	-3.36	1.42	6	0.64	3.20	-0.36
	STATE TOTAL	61.4	43.2	52.31	56.11	-3.81	1.42	6	0.64	3.38	-0.13
Maryland	SOUTHEASTERN SHORE										
	Ocean City Municipal Ap	62.7	45.5	54.08	54.83	-0.75	0.91	5.0	0.38	2.65	-0.78
	Salisbury-Wicomico Regional Airport	64.6	43.7	54.14	56.2	-2.06	0.98	6.0	0.23	2.54	-0.89
	Extreme/Average	63.6	44.6	54.11	55.52	-1.41	0.95	6	0.30	2.59	-0.83
	LOWER SOUTHERN										
	Mechanicsville 5 Ne	62.0	42.1	52.07	56.83	-4.76	2.17	5.0	1.4	4.19	0.85
	Patuxent River Nas	64.0	48.4	56.21	57.84	-1.63	1.81	6.0	0.95	3.28	-0.41
	Extreme/Average	63.0	45.2	54.14	57.34	-3.19	1.99	6	1.17	3.74	0.22
	UPPER SOUTHERN										
	Baltimore-Washington International Airport	60.7	43.9	52.29	56.1	-3.81	1.66	5.0	0.94	4.34	1.31
	Oxon Hill	63.3	40.7	52.0	59.03	-7.03	1.74	4.0	0.97	4.51	1.34
	National Arboretum Dc	63.1	44.7	53.93	58.94	-5.01	1.64	3.0	0.85	5.71	2.4
	Extreme/Average	62.4	43.1	52.74	58.02	-5.28	1.68	5	0.92	4.85	1.68
	NORTHEASTERN SHORE										
	Stevensville 2Sw	60.0	44.4	52.21	56.79	-4.57	1.8	3.0	N/A	4.87	N/A
	Extreme/Average	60.0	44.4	52.21	56.79	-4.57	1.80	3	N/A	4.87	N/A
	NORTHERN CENTRAL										
	Emmitsburg 2 Se	58.6	38.7	48.64	53.54	-4.9	1.09	3.0	0.19	3.38	-0.28
	Millers 4 Ne	57.1	39.9	48.5	54.33	-5.83	1.2	4.0	0.33	3.98	0.53
	Reisterstown 2 Nw	58.4	38.1	48.29	N/A	N/A	1.29	3.0	N/A	5.27	N/A
	Extreme/Average	58.0	38.9	48.48	53.94	-5.37	1.19	4	0.26	4.21	0.12
	APPALACHIAN MOUNTAIN										
	Cumberland 2	62.9	38.1	50.5	57.06	-6.56	0.99	4.0	0.19	3.15	0.06
	Frostburg 2	56.3	34.3	45.33	50.29	-4.9	1.24	4.0	0.3	4.84	1.23
	Hagerstown Washington County Regional Ap	58.7	42.3	50.5	55.33	-4.83	1.09	5.0	0.29	3.37	-0.05
	Extreme/Average	59.3	38.2	48.78	54.23	-5.43	1.11	5	0.26	3.79	0.41
	ALLEGHENY PLATEAU										
	Savage River Dam	57.1	35.6	46.36	51.33	-4.97	1.53	3.0	0.72	4.5	1.41
	Sines Deep Creek	54.4	31.2	42.8	N/A	N/A	0.95	3.0	N/A	4.5	N/A
	Extreme/Average	55.8	33.4	44.58	51.33	-4.97	1.24	3	0.72	4.50	1.41
	STATE TOTAL	60.0	40.8	50.39	55.03	-4.47	1.35	5	0.46	4.03	0.28

 $DFN = Departure \ from \ normal.$ Weather summary provided by the Southern Regional Climate Center, https://climdata.srcc.lsu.edu.